

detachable bayonet assembly;

C1 a detachable closure member for closing said dispensing appliance when said mixer is detached from the dispensing appliance, said closure member having a plurality of plugs corresponding in number to the outlets for closing each of said outlets; and

complementary coding elements formed on said dispensing appliance and said mixer to permit said inlets of said mixer to be aligned with and connected to the respective outlets of said dispensing appliance in only one orientation said coding elements comprising outlets of a different configuration relative to each other and said inlets being configured to conform thereto;

wherein said closure member includes coding elements configured in the same manner as the mixer to connect with the dispensing appliance in only one orientation.

C2 12. (Thrice Amended) A dispensing assembly according to claim 8, further comprising visual alignment means provided on said dispensing appliance.

13. (Twice Amended) A dispensing assembly according to claim 8, further comprising a coupling ring for attachment of said closure member to said dispensing appliance.

C3 Sub P2 14. (Twice Amended) A dispensing appliance for a mixer, the mixer having a plurality of inlets, the dispensing appliance comprising:  
a plurality of chambers each having an outlet for engagement with the inlets of the mixer, each said outlet of said chambers being of a different configuration from each other to permit the respective inlets of the mixer to align with and connect to said outlets in only one orientation; and

a bayonet coupling on said dispensing appliance for detachably connecting the mixer to said dispensing appliance; and

a detachable closure member for closing said dispensing appliance when detached from the mixer, said closure member having a plug for closing each said outlet, each said plug being configured to align with and connect to each said outlet of said plurality of chambers in only one orientation.

CH 16. (Twice Amended) A dispensing appliance according to claim 14, further comprising a coupling ring for attachment of said closure member to said dispensing appliance.

Please add the following new claims:

22. (New) A dispensing appliance according to claim 14, further comprising visual alignment means.

23. (New) A dispensing appliance according to claim 14, further comprising means for preventing contact between said outlets and said plugs, thereby preventing cross-contamination.

24. (New) A dispensing appliance according to claim 23, wherein said means for preventing contact comprises protrusions provided on a front surface of said dispensing appliance.

25. (New) A dispensing assembly according to claim 8, further comprising means for preventing contact between said outlets of said dispensing appliance and either said plugs or said mixer inlets, thereby preventing cross-contamination.

26. (New) A dispensing appliance according to claim 25, wherein said means for preventing contact comprises protrusions provided on a front surface of said dispensing appliance.

Sub D3 27. (New) A closure member for a dispensing appliance having a bayonet coupling, wherein the dispensing appliance includes a bayonet coupling and a plurality of chambers each having an outlet for engagement with the inlets of a mixer, each said outlet of said chambers being of a different configuration from each other to permit the respective inlets of the mixer to align with and connect to the outlets of the dispensing appliance in only one orientation, the closure member having a plurality of plugs corresponding in number to the outlets of the dispensing appliance for closing each said outlet, each plug being configured to align with and connect to each outlet in only one orientation.